

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

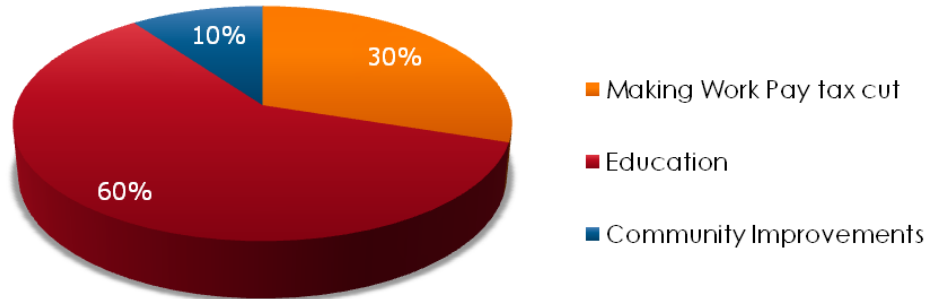
Garfield County

+ \$1,103,000

TAX CUTS

684,000 Nebraskans are benefitting from the Making Work Pay tax cut, putting \$9 million per week into Nebraskans' pockets, or \$346 million last year¹. The Making Work Pay tax cut put over **\$329,000** back into the economy of Garfield County in 2009².

Division of Funding in Garfield County



EDUCATION

Garfield County's school districts were saved from making further cuts to their budgets through the use of over **\$660,000** in Recovery Act funds, including over³:

Burwell Public Schools	\$397,000
Educational Service Unit #10*	\$263,000

COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT

Community improvement projects have been funded through the Recovery Act making investments in vital community needs.

★ Housing

- \$114,000 - City of Burwell - remodeling of its public housing units⁴

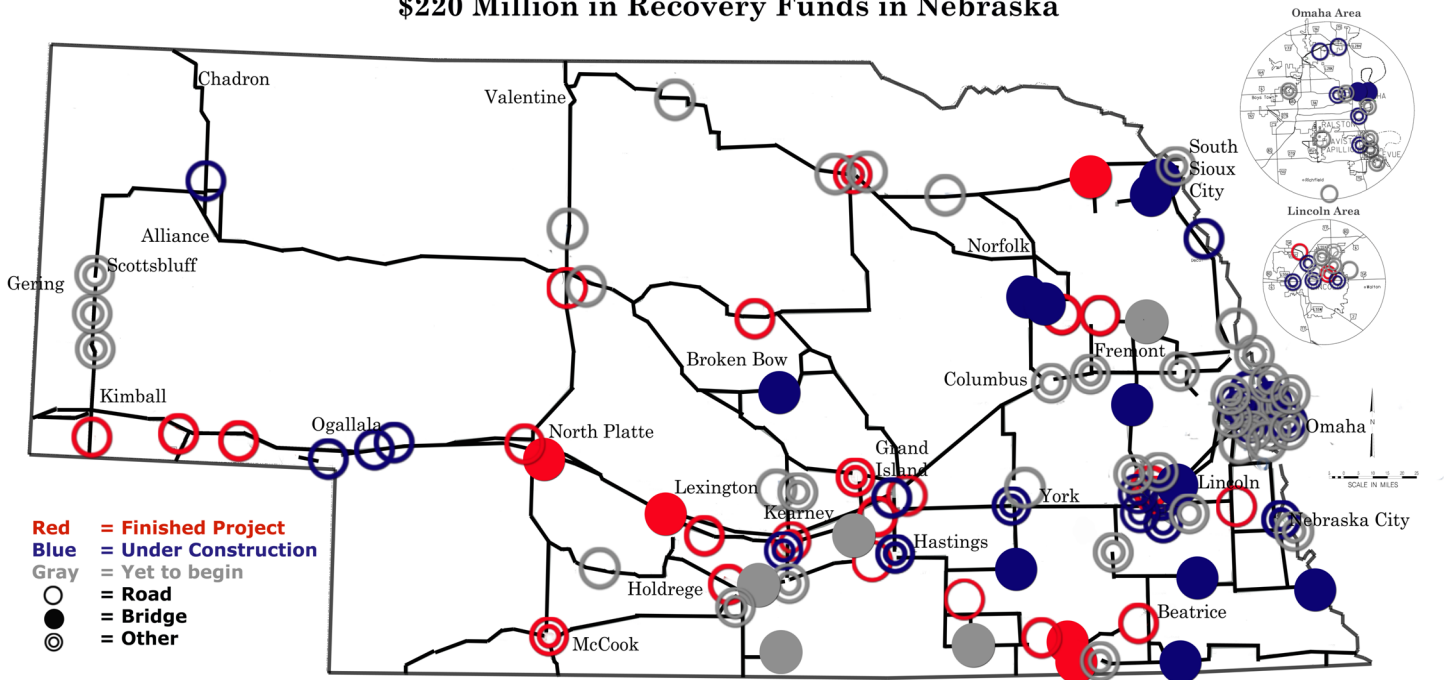


FIRST TIME HOMEBUYER CREDIT

More than 22,000 Nebraskans benefited from the First Time Homebuyer tax credit, returning more than **\$155.8 million** to the Nebraska economy from 2008 to 2010⁵.

Road Map to Recovery

\$220 Million in Recovery Funds in Nebraska



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Summary

Tax Cuts	\$ 329,000
Education	\$ 660,000
Community Improvement	\$114,000
Total	\$1,103,000

Endnotes

1. Hungerford, Thomas, Congressional Research Service memo to Senator Nelson: "Impact of Making Work Pay Tax Credit on Nebraska"; March 27, 2009.
2. \$346 million x Garfield County's percentage of Nebraska's population
3. Nebraska Department of Education, "Summary ARRA Allocations," http://www.nde.state.ne.us/ARRA/PDF/ARRA_Grant_Allocations_All_Programs.pdf (Accessed 07/22/2010).
4. "NE_Y10Q1," Recovery.gov, http://download.recovery.gov/recipient/Y10Q1/NE_Y10Q1.xls.zip (Accessed: 07/28/2010).
5. Internal Revenue Service Memo to Senator Nelson, "First Time Homebuyer Credit Volume," July 29, 2010.

This information is accurate as of July 21, 2010.

* These school districts are located in multiple counties.

